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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

CARL WAYNE STEWART

DOCKET NO.: 1:16-cv-01292

VERSUS

JUDGE BLEICH, ET AL.

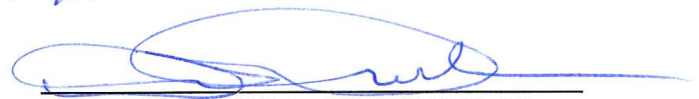
JUDGE DEE D. DRELL
MAG. JUDGE PEREZ-MONTES

JUDGMENT

Before the court is the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein (Doc. 11) and Plaintiff Carl Wayne Stewart's objections thereto (Doc. 12). Having conducted an independent (*de novo*) review of the record, including the objection, the court has determined the findings and recommendation are correct under the applicable law. Additionally, we note remand of the matter is warranted as a plaintiff may not remove an action from state court to federal district court. 28 U.S.C. §1441(a); see also McKenzie v. United States, 678 F.2d 571, 574 (5th Cir.1982) (citations omitted). Thus, it is hereby

ORDERED that the above captioned matter is **REMANDED** to the 10th Judicial District Court, Parish of Natchitoches, State of Louisiana.

SIGNED at Alexandria, Louisiana on this 24th day of March, 2017.


DEE D. DRELL, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT